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In re the Reissue Application of:

U.S. Patent No. 5,938,865

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To: KONDO, et al

PROCESS FOR PRODUCING HIGH-STRENGTH SEAMLESS PIPE HAVING

EXCELLENT SULFIDE STRESS CRACKING RESISTANCE

TRANSMITTAL OF REISSUE APPLICATION

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an application for reissue of U.S. Patent No. 5,938,865

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Multiple Dependent Claims			\$270.00	280.00
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